

1 Introduced July 22, 2008 by Councilman
2 Canada, seconded by Councilman Hursey, (by
3 request of Administration)

4 **Item No. 08-07-2756**

5 **ORDINANCE NO. 3493**

6 An ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Slidell,
7 Chapter 21-21 relative to health insurance coverage for retirees.
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9 WHEREAS, the City currently pays one hundred percent of health insurance
10 coverage for retirees; and
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12 WHEREAS, the federal government provides Medicare coverage for persons
13 over the age of sixty five; and
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15 WHEREAS, Medicare does not provide for the level of coverage the City
16 desires its retirees to have; and
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18 WHEREAS, a Medicare Advantage program for retirees would provide City
19 retirees a level of coverage commensurate with that of a City funded plan at a substantial
20 cost reduction.
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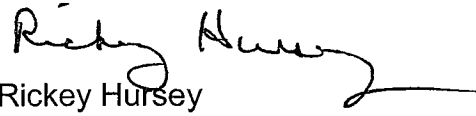
22 NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Slidell City Council that the
23 Code of Ordinances, Section 21-21, is hereby amended to add an additional subsection to
24 read as follows:
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26 “(3) Each City retiree shall, upon reaching the age of sixty five, apply for Medicare
27 coverage Parts A and B. The City shall provide Medicare Advantage coverage
28 at no cost to the retiree. Those retirees who are ineligible for Medicare shall be
29 allowed to continue participation in the City’s health insurance program to the
30 same extent as prior to reaching age sixty five.
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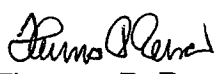


Rickey Hursey
Vice President of the Council
Councilman, District B



Ben O. Morris
Mayor

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Thomas P. Reeves
Council Administrator